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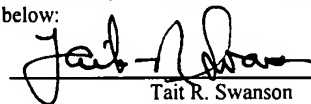
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In response to the Final Office Action mailed on August 31, 2006, Applicants amend and remark as follows.